



VITAL RECORD COPIES

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**CERTIFIED COPIES OF MARRIAGES, CIVIL UNIONS, BIRTHS,
DEATHS, DIVORCES AND CIVIL DISSOLUTIONS**

“New Hampshire vital records are considered to be private, and access to them is restricted by statute to those individuals who have a "direct and tangible interest" in the record. [RSA 5-C:9](#). Certain older records are exempted from these access restrictions. Birth records prior to 1901, and deaths, marriages and divorce records prior to 1948 are considered to have unrestricted access.”

Copies of Vital Record events from 1988 to present are available at any New Hampshire Town Clerk’s office. Copies prior to 1988 must be requested from the town in which the event occurred or from the State.

Positive identification must be shown in order to obtain copies of Vital Records.

Cost for certified copies is \$15.00 for the first record and \$10.00 for each subsequent copy of the same record requested at the same time. **Please note that the fee is for the record search and is charged whether or not the record is located.**

